The London Gazette.

Published by Authority.

From Thursday Aug. 18. to Monday Aug. 22 1698.

Cadiz, July 27. N. S.

THE Galeons are not yet permitted to unlade, by reason the Indult or Customs which the Merchants are to pay for their Effects on board them, is not yet agreed on. In the mean while the President of the Contractation has, by Order from Court, caused 590000 Pieces of Eight to be taken out of the Galeons for the King's use, and 400000 Pieces of Eight more are demanded for the Charges of the Galeons, whereupon the Merchants, who think themselves overcharged, have resolved to send Deputies to *Madrid*, to represent these Matters to the King. The Admiral, Vice Admiral, with another Ship of the Flota designed for *New-Spain*, sailed hence the 24th Instant; and two Ships more with Stores will shortly be sent to *Cartagena*. The *Anne* Galley came in here the 15th Instant from *Alicant*, and the *Concord*, Capt. *Richard Young*, from *Turkey*; The last of which sailed on the 23d for *London*. The 16th came in the *Drake* Galley, Capt. *Martin*, from *Falmouth*, who sailed the 20th for *Turkey*; as did likewise the *Susannah* Galley, which was in this Harbour, for *Genoa* and *Leghorne*. The *Poole* Man of War, Capt. *Granby* Commander, put into this Port the 18th Instant. On the 17th came in two French Men of War, and on the 18th they sailed again to Cruise on the Coast of *Sally*. On the 24th arrived here the *Robert Bonadventure*, Capt. *Tisdale*, from *Norway*, which sailed the 26th for *Venice*.

Malaga, July 29. The *Eagle* Galley, Capt. *Underwood* Commander, sailed from hence the 21th Instant, as did also several Merchantmen belonging to *Hamburgh* and *Venice*. The 22th came in here the *Susanna* and the *Drake* Galleys, bound to *Smirna* and *Scanderoon*; and the 24th put into this Port the *Naples* Galley, Capt. *Mansell* Commander, bound home from *Naples*; The 27th the *Content*, a French Man of War, came in from cruising, and sailed again the same day; as did also another French Man of War which lay at Anchor about a League off this Port.

Madrid, Aug. 6. There has been for this last fortnight no considerable alteration in the State of the King of *Spain*'s Health; and his Majesty goes abroad every evening to take the Air, and appears in the most Publick Places. We have an account from *Barcelona*, that the Prince of *Hesse-Darmstadt*, with several other General Officers, went from thence on the 24th of the last month, to visit the Frontier Places of *Catalonia*. The Marquis *de Leganes*, late Governor of *Milan*, is arrived at *Barcelona* from *Italy*. The 14 French Galleys which have lately been upon the Spanish Coasts, appeared the 23d past off *Barcelona*, taking their Course Eastward.

Warsaw, Aug. 11. The Emperor's Envoy, and the Popes Nuncio, with several Senators and other Persons of Quality, are lately gone from hence to attend the King of *Poland*, who continues his Journey to the Frontiers, where the Army is drawing together, and 'tis generally said the King will put in execution some great Design this Campagne. We have received Advice, that the Czar is coming this way from *Vienna*, and intends to meet the King of *Poland* at *Lemberg*, in order to confer and enter into joint Measures with him for carrying on the War against the Turks. The Rebellion lately raised in the Czar's Dominions is suppressed, and the Principal Authors of it exemplarily punished.

Vienna, Aug. 13. The Marquis *de Villars*, Envoy Extraordinary from *France*, has had a private Audience of the Emperor. The Moscovite Ambassador who was left here, designs in few days to take his Audience of Leave, and to follow the Czar his Master to *Moscovy*, who according to our last Letters from *Poland* was come to *Wielicza* near *Cracow*. The Advices from *Hungary* of the 5th Instant, say, Prince *Eugene* of *Savoy* arrived the 2d in the Imperial Camp near *Calousch*, where he found all the Foot, and the greatest part of the Horse, drawn together, with the Artillery. The 3d he took a Review of the Army, which marched on the 4th to *Samber*, and the next day would continue their march to *Peter-Waradin*. We hear the Grand Visier, with the Ottoman Army under his Command, consisting in between 60 and 70000 Men, is come beyond *Nissa*, and marches towards *Belgrade* with all possible diligence. However we are assured, that the Negociation for a Peace is in great fowardness, and will in all appearance be concluded this Summer.

Francfort, Aug. 20. The Elector *Palatine*'s Guards passed yesterday through this City going to *Weynheim*, where we hear his Electoral Highness arrived last night. The Count of *Stutzendorff* is also arrived there with the Character of Envoy from his Imperial Majesty. The French design to build a strong Fortress over-against *Brisac*, and will begin their Work in a short time.

Brussels, Aug. 24. The Conferences at this Court about Regulating the Forces to be kept on foot in the *Spanish-Netherlands* in time of Peace, are continued; and the States of the several Provinces have sent Deputies hither to make their Representations thereupon, who have had Audience of the Elector of *Bavaria*, and the States of *Brabant* are assembled to consider of the same Business.

Loo, Aug. 25. On the 23d Count *Tallard*, the French Ambassador, came hither from *Utrecht* to wait on His Majesty, and returned this morning. His Majesty went this day to *Dieren*, and intends to continue there some days.

Hague, Aug. 26. Count *Tallard* arrived here this afternoon from *Utrecht*. Prince *Gaston*, Second Son to the Duke of *Tuscany*, is daily expected. The Prince of *Nassau-Saarbruck*, who came hither lately from *Loo*, intends to go this week to his Government of *Bosleduc*. Monsieur *Dykvelt* is gone to *Brussels*, to confer with the Elector of *Bavaria*. The Prince of *Strenhuysen* is expected

at